

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An electrolyte resistant to oxidation normally resulting from high voltage charging of a secondary battery comprising a Li_{1+x}Mn₂O₄ intercalation positive electrode comprises a 0.5M to 2M solution of LiPF₆ dissolved in a mixture of non-aqueous dimethylcarbonate (DMC) and ethylene carbonate (EC) solvents wherein said solvents are present in a weight percent ratio range from about 95 DMC:5 EC to 20 DMC:80 EC.

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